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Dear Fellow Stamford Taxpayers,

Welcome to Stamford's Property Assessment Appeals Information Center. This site will help you access information regarding how to best prepare your case for consideration by the Board of Assessment Appeals.

In order to appeal an assessment to the Board of Assessment Appeals, property owners must submit an application, which can be found here: <u>BAA Application</u>. **This form must be submitted between**<u>March 1, 2014 and March 20, 2014</u> and can be completed online or delivered to the Assessor's Office on the 6th Floor of the Government Center.

Property owners were first notified by mail of their new assessments in December 2012 and this will be their first opportunity to appeal their assessment since learning of the tax implications following the revaluation.

After the application is submitted, the Board of Assessment Appeals (one of our many volunteer boards) will notify you regarding the time and date of your hearing. We anticipate that the appeals will be heard in April.

I hope that you find this website helpful as you plan for and proceed though the assessment appeals process.

Sincerely,

David R. Martin

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P.S. Many of you may recall my support for review of the 2012 revaluation. I am pleased to report that the Board of Finance has approved an RFP for an audit firm and we are currently in the process of accepting proposals. It is my hope that we will get the audit underway in the coming months.